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REMARKS

The Notice mailed June 10, 2004, states that the Response filed on March 11, 2004 is not in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.121 for attempting to delete a limitation not previously presented in the claim. Specifically, it is alleged the removal of the term “non” in claim 46 prior to the phrase “human subject” does not comply with 37 CFR § 1.121. In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121, Applicant submits this Response containing a complete listing of all claims indicating their status. The present response only includes the “Amendments to the Claims” section from the Response mailed on March 10, 2004. Specifically, the amendment ([[non-]]human subject) has been removed to properly reflect the status of claim 46. In view of the Supplemental Response filed herein, Applicant respectfully submits that all objections to the claims have been overcome. Accordingly, allowance of pending claims 46 and 55 to 64 is respectfully requested.

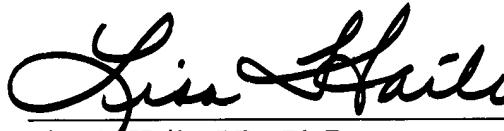
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The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if there are any questions relating to this application.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this paper. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355.

Respectfully submitted,



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